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Missouri State Bank

OF BUTLER, MO.

CAPITAL, \$110,000.

Transacts a general banking business. We solicit the accounts of farmers, merchants and the public generally, promising a safe depository for all funds committed to our charge. We are prepared to extend liberal accommodation in the way of loans to our customers. Funds always on hand to loan on real estate at lowest rates, allowing borrowers to pay part or all at any time and stop interest.

DIRECTORS.

Dr. T. C. Boulware
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Clem Stalback
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R. G. West

Williams' Cash Grocery.

We are so well pleased with the large trade we have had during this year so far, that we will in return give our customers goods at as near cost price as we can, to meet expense of running our business for awhile, and while we have at all times done everything in our power to please our customers by giving them goods at cheapest prices, and taken back everything that did not suit them. We want to say that we will pursue this course to the end. We want everybody to know that they cannot possibly lose anything by trading with us, as we make everything good that does not prove satisfactory, and all we ask of the people is, to either pay us cash or produce for our goods. We have had several customers of late to ask us for credit, now we ask one and all to please not do it, for we cannot possibly sell on credit, and will have to refuse you, so please don't ask us. We will accommodate you in any other way in our power, and will sell you to-day

20 lb fine granulated sugar \$1 09
21 lb " light brown sugar 1 00
50 lb Jersey Cream flour 1 00
50 lb Hawkeye flour 95
50 lb A 1 flour 75
1 lb Java blend coffee 25
1 lb pure Mexican coffee 25
4 pkg coffee, any brand 90
1 lb dry salt meat 75
20 lb pail jelly 35
2 pkg soda, any brand 15
3 lb best tea dust 25
1 lb pure Hyson tea 25
1 lb Moyune Imperial tea 35
1 lb sun cured Japan tea 30
3 1/2 lb large mountain Java coffee 1 00
3 1/2 lb large African Java coffee 1 00
Western square wash machine 2 75
Economy wringers 1 75
Boys Iron express wagons \$1.00,
\$1.35 and \$1.45 each.
Screen wire 1 1/2c a foot
1 qt tin cans 40
1 qt Mason jars per doz 85
1 qt Mason jars per doz 1 05
1 gal stone fruit jars per doz 1 20
No. 8 copper bottom wash boiler 85
No. 8 solid copper " 2 15
Galvanized Iron milk pails 25
Best tubular lanterns 45
1 bu feed baskets 25
Lilly hand flax fiber pails 35
3 doz clothes pins 5
Wood chopping bowls 15
Best loaded shells per box 35
Large size jelly glasses pr doz 35
Large glass water pitchers 23
1 set heavy hotel goblets 35
2 lead glass jelly stands 25
Large flint tumblers 25
Large footed foot bowls 25
Large glass bread plate 15
1 set Meakins best dinner plates 35
1 set " cups & saucers 35
We will sell anything on our glass and queensware side for the next 30 days, at 20c off on the dollar. We intend to make a grand rush of these goods, to make room for a large stock we have bought, to arrive about October 15th. Now is your time to buy some beautiful colored glassware, or decorated porcelain china dinner sets at what they cost us, you will never have another chance like this. We hope by this time that everybody knows that we do just what we say we will; if there is anyone that doubts it, come in and see for yourself. We have said, and will say it again, that we sell more tinware than any house in Butler, because we keep the best and sell it cheap. Notice our prices on fruit jars and cans, sugar and flour, in fact, every article we have presented to you. We will sell you Rogers Silver knives and forks, tea and table spoons, cheaper than anyone; and don't forget our glass and queensware sale for the next 30 days only, to October 15th.

We have often told you, but will repeat it again, that we will pay you cash for your butter, eggs and chickens, or for anything else you have to sell, and will not allow anyone to overbid us, or in other words, will meet any price you may be offered by other grocers. We do this whether you ask us the price or not; so drive up and unload, you will be perfectly safe.

Yours truly,
WILLIAMS BROS.

FARMERS' BANK

OF BATES COUNTY

BUTLER, MISSOURI.

CASH CAPITAL, \$50,000.00
SURPLUS FUNDS \$6,000.00

OSCAR REEDER, President
R. J. HURLEY, 1st Vice President
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E. D. KIPP, Cashier

DIRECTORS.

Jas. M. McKibben, Jno. E. Shutt, J. J. McKee, Oscar Reeder.
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J. EVERINGHAM, Secretary, E. D. KIPP,

Owned and controlled by over ninety stockholders, seventy of whom are leading and wealthy farmers from different parts of the county. Among the remaining stockholder are number of the largest merchants and capitalists in Butler. We cash your drafts FREE OF ANY CHARGE, receive deposits, and are always prepared to loan to responsible parties.

We invite all new comers to call.

We invite all parties to make our office headquarters when in city. Writing material and reading matter FREE. DEPOSIT and CHECK BOOK FURNISHED FREE.

Your Account is Welcomed Whether Large or Small.

Virginia Items.

"If we give you the happenings of our town at the ratio of 10 to 1, we must note them down. And when you have read them through

Don't you blame us if false or true."

Ed Daniels' threshing engine fell through the bridge by Peter Crook's last Wednesday.

Mrs. Journey is visiting friends in Topeka, Kan.

James Crooks and wife visited the family of John Cope, at New Home, Saturday and Sunday.

Virginia now has a barber shop with Mr. Ed Dudley as proprietor.

Mrs. O. W. Tuttle, of Butler, visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Jenkins, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Josie Park returned home from Iowa last week.

William Journey joined the Christian church last Sunday night.

Will Huffman went to K. C. to attend the Dental school.

Lewis Dudley and Walter Wallace went to Rich Hill to attend the show.

Mrs. Win Hickman, who has been visiting the family of John Durrett for several days, returned home Sunday.

Dr. Mitchell was called to see Mrs. Wyatt, living on the George Short farm. Mr. Wyatt bought the farm this fall and had just moved into the house with Mr. Cowan, who has the place rented until Spring.

Wm. Smith, of the Indian Nation, is visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Craig. He came to see his father before he went to Texas, but his father had gone when he arrived.

The foot race, one mile east of here, was well attended. Mr. Robbins, of Elkhardt, and Mr. Silvers, of Butler, were the racers, the former being the winner.

Mr. Etter will move his family to Virginia this week.

Miss Myrtle Woody is visiting her aunt, at Lynn, Osage Co., Mo.

A J. Park sold 130 head of hogs last week.

Wm. Smith moved to Taylor, Texas, last week.

Miss Mamie Maxey, of Butler, visited the family of G. W. Park Friday.

Rev. Wm. Pyles, of Golden City, will preach at the M. E. church Friday night of this week.

T. C. Graves bought his brother's interest in the crop. W. H. Graves is going to move to Kansas City soon.

The S. S. convention was not so largely attended as was expected on account of the busy season. Revs. Williamson, Reid and Galbreth were present and took an active part in the temperance talk.

Dr. Mitchell was called to see James Cusick's little boy last Sunday morning.

John Durrett was at Lee's Summit last week.

Miss Lena Jenkins, who is attending school at Butler, came home Friday to attend the S. S. convention.

Jake Frey's threshing machine is in the neighborhood.

The Free Methodists are holding at the Nestlerode school house.

Mrs. Josie Park returned home last week from Iowa.

Rev. T. P. Reid preached Sunday and Monday night, which was enjoyed by all present.

Do not forget the M. E. quarterly meeting Saturday and Sunday.

NELS' CLERK.

Foster Items.

There was lots of trade in town Saturday, as the farmers could not make hay on account of the high wind.

The Foster base ball club has broken up on account of some of them going away to school at Liberty.

Mr. White Deaton, was in our midst Saturday and while here he informed us that Mr. Albert Short was going to clerk for Mr. Douglas in the new store at Nyhart.

Mr. Huff has two very sick children.

Mr. Spencer, who has been working at Burdett, came home last Sunday.

There was an ice cream supper at the opera house Wednesday night.

A large crowd from here will attend the parade at K. C. next week.

Miss Bertha Short, who has been home on a visit, returned last week.

Mrs. Allie Henry was called to St. Louis to the bedside of her mother, who was not expected to live, but at the last report she was getting better.

The Foster band went to Nevada to play for the Vernon County Veterans Association. They will return Sunday and for K. C. on Tuesday, where they will play for the Priest of Pallas.

NELS' CLERK No. 2.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S

CREAM

BAKING

POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other undesirable ingredients.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

DUVALL & PERCIVAL.

BUTLER, MISSOURI.

FARM LOANS.

Money to loan on farms at reduced rates of interest.

Your Notes are Payable at our Office

and you find them here when due.

We give you privilege to pay at any time. Money ready as soon as papers are signed.

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Deepwater Items.

Mrs. Vanaulstine, who has been visiting her parents in East Deepwater, left Saturday for her home in K. C.

Protracted meeting commenced in Johnstown at the Christian church last Friday night.

Misses Nora Porter, Carry and Nellie Martin were the guests of the girls at Mr. W. H. Shelton's Saturday.

Revs. Moore and Clap preached at John Thompson's Saturday evening.

Miss Mamie Odell is going to stay with her grandma, in East Deepwater, this winter.

Mr. George Porter hauled a load of hogs to Ulrich for Mr. Arthur Hart last Friday.

Mrs. Mary Payne has purchased the old Meyers place for \$31 per acre.

Miss Bell Simpson is staying at Mr. W. L. Jackson's this week.

Miss Becca Young, who has not been expected to live, is reported to be some better.

The oyster supper, given by the Elm Grove boys last Thursday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Welker, was largely attended and a very enjoyable affair. Mr. and Mrs. Welker will leave for their home in Howell Co. in a few days.

There was no S. S. at Elm Grove last Sunday on account of the rain.

Mr. John Story wears a broad smile and he says it is a 9 lb. boy.

Miss Nancy Jackson is reported to be on the sick list this week.

Obituary.

Died suddenly, of heart disease, at his home in Salem, Dent Co., Mo., Sept. 10, 1895, Dr. Milton Godbey in the 51st year of his age. Dr. Godbey was born in Kentucky, Apr. 3, 1845, and came with his parents to Cooper Co., Mo., while yet a youth. He attended school at Fayette, Mo., after which he entered a medical school at Cincinnati, Ohio, from which he graduated while yet a very young man. He came to Bates County in 1867, and taught school and began the practice of medicine near Spruce, Mo. He formed the acquaintance, and in 1872 married Miss Roberta Pauline Simpson, youngest sister of J. R. Simpson, and made his home at Johnstown, Mo., where he practiced medicine for a number of years, making many lasting friendships. In 1875 he moved to Salem, where he has since enjoyed a lucrative practice. He came of a family of preachers, his father and several brothers being ministers in the M. E. church south. He united with the church of his family in early youth and was always a devoted, consistent, christian gen-

tleman. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church south at Salem, conducted by the pastor, assisted by the pastors of the C. P. and Presbyterian churches. Dr. Godbey was a charter member of Salem Lodge of United Workmen. The burial service was in accordance with the ritual of that order. He leaves a wife and three children, many other relatives and a host of friends to mourn his loss.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
County of Bates.
In the Circuit Court of Bates county, Missouri, in vacation, September 23rd, 1895, the State of Missouri at the relation and to the use of S. H. Fisher ex-officio collector of the revenue of Bates county, in the state of Missouri, plaintiff, vs. Charity E. Ashby and J. S. Ashby, defendants.

Civil action for delinquent taxes.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein by her attorney, before the undersigned clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, in the state of Missouri, in vacation and files her petition stating among other things that the above named defendant, Mary J. Kirtley is a non-resident of the state of Missouri, and is ordered by the said clerk in vacation that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this court by petition the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the state of Missouri for the delinquent taxes of the years 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$14.20, together with interest, costs, commission and fees, upon the following described tracts of land situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit:

Lot eleven (11) block fifteen (15) in the west side addition to the city of Butler, and that unless the said defendant be and appear at the next term of this court, to be begun and holden in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, on the 12th day of November, 1895, and on or before the third day thereof, if the term shall so long continue—and if not, then before the end of the term, and plead to petition according to law, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered according to the prayer of said petition, and the above described real estate sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered by the clerk aforesaid that a copy hereof be published in the BUTLER WEEKLY TIMES, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Butler, Bates county, Mo., for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the next term of said court. A true copy of the record. Witness my hand as clerk aforesaid with the seal of said Court hereunto affixed. Done at office in Butler on this 23rd day of September, 1895. STEWART ATCHESON, 45-41 Circuit Clerk.

Interest Reduced.
On Farm Loans of \$2,000 and upwards, the Missouri State Bank will furnish money at seven per cent interest. Making no charge for Commission, drawing papers, making abstracts or recording. 24 tf.

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The south half of the northwest quarter of section seven (7) township thirty-eight (38) range thirty-two (32), and that unless the said defendants be and appear at the next term of this court, to be begun and holden in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, on the 12th day of November, 1895, and on or before the third day thereof (if the term shall so long continue, and if not then before the end of the term) and plead to said petition, according to law, the same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered according to the prayer of said petition, and the above described real estate sold to satisfy the same.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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